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community news *in brief*

Louisville Library Launches New Programming Series **Hands-on Programs Range from Traditional Crafts to Robotics**

LOUISVILLE, CO – December 2, 2014 – The Library recently saw completion of a new room to house creative projects ranging from traditional crafts to robotics. Located on the second floor of the building, the new space will have its first programs for adults and children beginning in December.



SAT, December 6, 1-4pm

Temari Ball Ornaments Workshop

Age 18 and up; \$10 materials fee; pre-registration is required.

Japanese Temari balls are perfect holiday tree ornaments, decorations, and friendship gifts. No experience or preparation needed. The workshop will be led by local fiber artist Pat Martinek.



SAT, December 13, 10:30-12:30

Folded Paper Gift Boxes Workshop

Ages 10 & up; materials provided; drop-in program.

No experience necessary.

According to Library director Beth Barrett, the interest in this type of project space has been increasing steadily. “Over the past several years we have developed partnerships with a number of science and technology organizations and firms, and the events that have grown out of these relationships have been enthusiastically received by our Library users. In today’s world, being literate means having competence in all kinds of subjects, as well as being able to read, and exposing our communities to hands-on learning opportunities benefits students and lifelong learners alike in fun and stimulating ways. We are looking forward with great anticipation to expanding our classes and programs in the coming months.”

Additional equipment and programming are planned, and the Library hopes to involve members of the community in developing some makerspace programs. If you are interested in helping to expand makerspace programming at the Library, please contact the Public Services Supervisor at 303-335-4809.